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448563/0237
LR:DLS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: **Hiroaki Sekizawa** Group Art Unit: **2141**

Application No.: **10/714,100** Examiner: **Not Yet Known**

Filed: **November 13, 2003**

For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MONITORING THE STATE OF A PLURALITY OF MACHINES CONNECTED VIA A COMPUTER NETWORK**

Date: **May 25, 2007**

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant inquires as to the status of the subject application.

Although this application was filed over three and a half two years ago, on November 13, 2003, no action on the merits has been received.

Accordingly, Applicant's attorneys respectfully request that the undersigned be advised of the status of this application, and that all appropriate papers be sent thereto.

Prompt and favorable action is earnestly solicited.

If there are any questions, please contact Applicant's undersigned attorney at the telephone number below.

Respectfully submitted,

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